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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Zimmer Jeffrey J						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Armour Residential REIT, Inc. [ ARR ]								(Check all ap		applicable) rector		Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3001 OCEAN DRIVE SUITE #201							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2011									X	belov				(specify
(Street) VERO B (City)		FL (Sta		2963 Zip)		- 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indivine)	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
			Tabl	e I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, oı	r Bene	eficia	ally	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 5)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	e	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(11341.4)
Common	Stock, pa	ar va	alue \$0.001 per	share	07/0	<b>1/201</b> 1	L			M <sup>(1)</sup>		2,342	2,342 A		(1	55,879		5,879	I	)	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  2. Conversion Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year)  6. Month/Day/Year)  7. Month/Day/Year)				Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of		Deri Seci	rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	m: ect (D) ndirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. On July 1, 2011, the reporting person elected to redeem 2,342 shares out of 3,657 shares of vested phantom stock previously granted under ARMOUR Residential REIT, Inc.'s 2009 Stock Incentive Compensation Plan into 2,342 shares of ARMOUR's common stock. The reporting person also elected to redeem the remaining 1,315 shares of vested phantom stock, but immediately forfeited those shares to pay income taxes on the vesting grant. The 2,342 shares were issued on July 1, 2011.

## Remarks:

/s/ Jeffrey J. Zimmer

07/05/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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